Beginning Art – Student Website & Portfolio – Final Project   **Ms. Siwek**

Due Date: Thursday January 17

For your final project you will refine and complete your Weebly website and showcase your best work from throughout this semester.

*YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO TAKE NEW PHOTOGRAPHS FOR YOUR PORTFOLIO UNLESS YOU WANT TO

REQUIREMENTS

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1. You must have 4 main pages on your website

- Home Page
- About Page
- Portfolio Page (Include photographs from throughout this course).
  Blog

2. Home Page

- All artwork on your pages must be by **YOU.**
- The name of your site (ie. Joe Smith Art) should be visible on your website.
- The home page should be free of all stock or placeholder imagery.
- You should have clear and easy navigation to your portfolio page and blog.
- There should be absolutely no unused or incomplete elements.

3. About Page

- Must have a self-portrait on this page!
- Include at least 1 paragraph about yourself and your artwork – * You do not need to provide any personal details – You may include just your first name
- The about page should be free of all stock or placeholder imagery.
- There should be absolutely no unused or incomplete elements.

4. Portfolio Page - A set of creative photographic work collected by someone to display their skills.

- Your portfolio should contain a total of **8 art projects** (all by you – if you need to take new photographs for your art portfolio, do so)
- They should be presented in a neat grid on your portfolio page
- You must include minimum 6 sketchbook assignments
- Your portfolio page should have no incomplete elements and be neatly arranged.

- *Use examples of artists you have researched over the semester to fill the site*

5. Blog Page – This is the page you have used throughout the year to submit all of your assignments.
- Your blog page should contain all of the assignments completed throughout the semester.
- Gallery with 10 Best projects and/or sketchbook assignments from the semester.
  You will create one final post for the year that includes:
- Final Class Reflection (Written on Blog--- DO NOT EMAIL TO ME) *see requirements)

6. **Additional Pages** – If you have additional pages on your blog make sure they are COMPLETE.

- You will lose points for any incomplete pages or items on your website
- It should be neat and have properly formatted and titled blog posts

7. **Website Style and Format**

- Select fonts, colors, and layouts of your choice, but make sure the website flows and has a consistent look.
- You can give your website a style that is unique and interesting or you can keep it clean and simple – it should be a reflection of you as an artist/ photographer.
- Please view the student examples to see a range of different student websites.

8. **Final Blog Post / Reflection**

- Your final blog post will include a ***written reflection*** and 3 favorite art projects from this semester
- Create a post that includes a written reflection and a gallery with your 3 favorite images.
- **DO NOT** EMAIL ME YOUR REFLECTION! YOU MUST POST ON BLOG
- Please see reflection requirements to make sure to answer all prompts.